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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
9 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
10 SAN JOSE DIVISION
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12 FRANCISCO CERVANTES, et al.,)

13 Plaintiffs,)

14 v.)

15 LIU CHENG, INC. dba MANDARIN)
16 GOURMENT, et al.,)

17 Defendants.)
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Case No.: C 08-3817 JW (PVT)

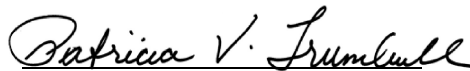
**ORDER OF RECUSAL AS SETTLEMENT
MAGISTRATE JUDGE ONLY**

18 On November 6, 2009, this court issued an order granting Plaintiffs' Motions to Compel
19 Further Responses to Interrogatories and Production of Documents. On November 20, 2009, the
20 case was referred to Magistrate Judge Trumbull for a settlement conference. The settlement
21 conference is currently scheduled to take place on January 20, 2010. On January 4, 2010, Plaintiffs
22 filed a motion for sanctions based on Defendants' failure to comply with this court's prior order
23 compelling discovery. Among other things, Plaintiffs seek an order recommending imposition of
24 evidence preclusion sanctions, striking of the answer and entry of default judgment. Based on the
25 file herein,

26 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that, in light of the sanctions motion currently pending before
27 her, Magistrate Judge Trumbull recuses herself from acting as the settlement magistrate judge in this
28 case.

1 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the parties shall promptly contact Magistrate Judge
2 Howard Lloyd's chambers to schedule a settlement conference on his calendar.

3 Dated: 1/8/10

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5 PATRICIA V. TRUMBULL
6 United States Magistrate Judge
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